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Memorandum of Conversation

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DATE: August 3, 1959

SUBJECT: Theft of \$3800 from Two Saudi Princes

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Farid Basrawi, Counselor of Saudi Arabian Embassy
Mr. Armin H. Meyer, Deputy Director, Office of Near Eastern Affairs

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Mr. Basrawi said he was calling at the request of the Saudi Ambassador to report an incident which happened in Los Angeles on August 1. Prince Ahmad and Prince Satam, brothers of King Saud, were quartered in the Statler Hilton Hotel when their room was broken into, their luggage rifled, and \$3800 stolen.

The Saudi Ambassador wished the State Department to know of this incident. While noting that the police authorities in Los Angeles were already at work on the case, the Saudi Ambassador hoped that the State Department would take an interest in the case to assure full police attention.

(The matter has been brought to the attention of the Department's SY authorities.)

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